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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Application No. 10/053,348; Filed: November 2, 2001
For: **Method for Analytical Jacobian Computation in Molecular Modeling**
Inventor: Dan E. Rosenthal
Our Ref: 020910-000310US (1866.0610005)

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. A copy of the executed Power of Attorney to Prosecute Applications Before the USPTO;
2. Statement Under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b);
3. Change of Correspondence Address;
4. Request for Change of Attorney Docket Number Pleading; and
5. One (1) return postcard.

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Respectfully submitted,

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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

020910-00310US (1866.0610005)

Applicant/Patent Owner: Dan E. RosenthalApplication No./Patent No.: 10/053,348 Filed/Issue Date: November 2, 2001

Entitled: Method for Analytical Jacobian Computation in Molecular Modeling

Locus Pharmaceuticals, Inc., a corporation
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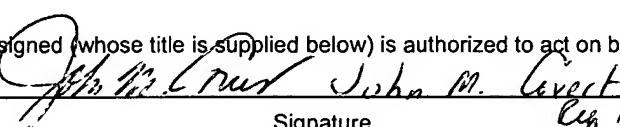
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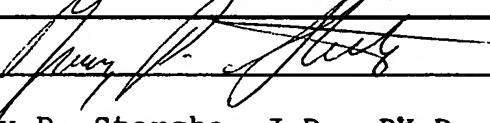
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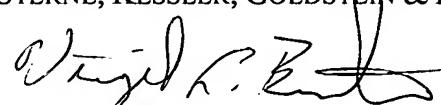
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